Cancer Cases in Western Rajasthan

2698. SHRI BISHAMBHAR NATH PANDEY:
SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is high incidence of cancer cases, specially of blood, bone and skin at Pokharan in Western Rajasthan;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) what are the reasons therefor; and

(d) what measures Government have taken to check it?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) (a) According to Indian Council of Medical Research, no scientific report in the matter has been received.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

Patients admitted in mental hospitals in the country

2699. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of HEALH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of patients admitted in mental hospitals in the country till June, 1992, State-wise;

(b) what is the number of patients treated in the said mental hospitals alongwith the number of patients who died in the course of their treatment and the number of patients who left without information from the said hospitals during the last three years; and

(c) what are State-wise details of the patients who are staying in these hospitals even after their recovery from mental ailments together with details of rehabilitation of such patients?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) to (c) The number of patients admitted, discharged and died in specialised mental hospitals in the country during 1990 and 1991 as reported by the concerned authorities is given in the statement attached. (See below).

Information about number of patients who left without information from these hospitals and details of patients who are staying even after their recovery are not available.

Statement

Numbers of patients of mental disorders treated in specialised mental hospitals during 1980 *and* 1991

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S.No.	States/UTs.	1990			1991		
		Admissions	Discharged	Deaths	Admission	Discharged	Deaths
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Andhra Pradesh	4177	3646	22	2611	2477	01
2	Assam	1428	1404	81	1620	1541	132
3	Bihar	6307	6290	129	5818	5835	108
4	Goa	2161	2161	7	2273	2258	14
5	Gujarat	452	435	24	471	402	30

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
6	Jammu & Kashmir	781	776	2	770	757	2
7	Karnataka . .	4536	4727	18	4777	5203	18
8	Kerala . . .	5255	5187	20	8810	8956	57
9	Madhya Pradesh .	580	563	14	567	566	13
10	Maharashtra .	11523	11842	321	11321	11803	361
11	Nagaland . .	78	67	5	NR	NR	NR
12	Orissa . . .	1156	1152	1	1128	1131	5
13	Punjab . .	234	240	31	195	198	14
14	Rajasthan . .	3616	3513	17	1457	1450	8
15	Tamil Nadu . .	4639	4469	111	4800	4543	94
16	Uttar Pradesh .	2089	2074	47	1136	1173	19
17	West Bengal .	940	816	26	NR	NR	NR
18	Delhi . . .	NR	NR	NR	642	599	33

Note : –N.R.–INFORMATION NOT RECEIVED

Homoeopathy Treatment for Curing Aids

2700. SHRI MD. SALIM: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state the steps Government have taken to promote the homoeopathy treatment and render help in research work for curing AIDS which the homoeopaths claim successful in treatment HIV positive patients?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): The Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy, set up by the Government to promote research in homoeopathy,, has already undertaken research projects to evaluate homoeopathic therapy in a symptomatic TIV infection. The initial results obtained claiming success in a few cases require further confirmation throuh detailed scientific-trials and studies which are being taken up by the Council.

प्रत्येक राज्य में पकड़े गये अपमिश्रि खाद्य पदार्थ और औषध

2701. **श्री दिलीप सिंह जूदेव :** क्या **स्वास्थ्य और परिवार कल्याण** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) वर्ष 1990–91 से लेकर 1992–93 तक खाद्य पदार्थों और औषधों के अपमिश्रण के संबंध में राज्यवार और वर्षवार कितने मामले पकड़े गए थे;

(ख) उक्त अवधि के दौरान इन मामलों में राज्यवार कितने व्यक्ति दोषी पाए थे;

(ग) मध्य प्रदेश और उड़ीसा में अपमिश्रित और घटिया औषधों के उत्पादन और बिक्री के कितने मामले किन-किन क्षेत्रों में पकड़े गए थे; और

(घ) अपमिश्रित खाद्य पदार्थों और औषधों पर कारगर ढंग से नियन्त्रण